



DOCKET NO.: MPC1-0024
Application No.: 09/690,973
Office Action Dated: January 15, 2003

PATENT
REPLY FILED UNDER EXPEDITED
PROCEDURE PURSUANT TO
37 CFR § 1.116

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Spiridon Spireas

Confirmation No.: **4370**

Application No.: **09/690,973**

Group Art Unit: **1615**

Filing Date: **October 18, 2000**

Examiner: **Ware, Todd**

For: **STABILIZATION OF SOLID THYROID DRUG FORMULATIONS**

EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NO:
DATE OF DEPOSIT: **March 29, 2004**

Mail Stop ISSUE FEE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.116

In response to the Official Action dated **January 15, 2003**, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

- ☒ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page _____ of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.